

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

In the matter of:

JOHN B. MATTHEW

Application No PCT/US98/16974

Filed: 17 AUG 98

For: Papermaking Refiner Plates & Method of Manufacture

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington D.C. 20231

Sir:

ENTRY INTO UNITED STATES NATIONAL STAGE
UNDER 35 USC 371

Applicant hereby requests entry into United States national stage for
this application.

A demand for International Preliminary Examination has been filed for
this application.

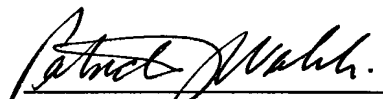
The claims have been amended under Article 19.

Applicant encloses:

- a. Verified Declaration of status as Small Entity,
- b. Declaration of Inventor,
- c. Basic national fee under Rule 1.492 (a)(1),
- d. A copy of the Article 19 amendment of the claims.

Dated 10 January 2000
at Stamford, Connecticut.

Respectfully submitted,


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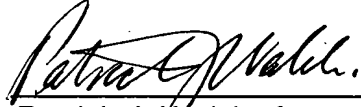
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We submit an amendment of claims.

Claims 1 to 8 are unchanged, and claims 9 and 10 are replaced by
amended claims bearing the same numbers.

Dated July 23, 1999
20 at Stamford, Connecticut.

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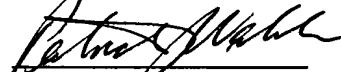
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I hereby certify that the attached document was sent via the United States Postal Service this 10th day of January 2000 in a first class postage prepaid envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks, Box PCT, Washington, D. C. 20231.

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